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Skills

Teaching Methodology

Testing & Assessment

Academic Writing

Quantitative & Qualitative Research

Computer & Digital Literacy

Sport (Judo)

Profile Summary

Currently, I am a faculty member of the English language department at Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences. Previously, I taught general and specialized language courses in banking, engineering, and medical sciences at various public and private universities (Allameh Tabataba'i University, Sharif University of Technology, Khajeh Nasir al-Din Tusi University, Farhangian University, Iran University of Medical Sciences, Khatam University, Central Bank of the Islamic Republic of Iran, and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Center of in-service professional development). Since 2010, I have been teaching English at various levels for children, teenagers, and adults in well-known institutes in Tehran and have worked as an examiner, question developer, consultant, and supervisor in the language departments of institutes (Iran Language Institute, Hermes, etc.). During my undergraduate studies, I also gained experience in journalism and news agencies (AWD News and IUVM Press), and I am currently a certified translator for the Judiciary, translator for the Tehran International Exhibition (EXPO 2024 & 2025), and a member of the National Elite Foundation. I always strive to keep my knowledge up to date and embrace challenges while collaborating with colleagues and students in the fields of education, professional ethics, 21st-century skills, and in pursuit of personal, social, and professional growth for myself and others.

Education

PhD in Applied Linguistics (TEFL)

Institute/University: University of Tehran

Tehran, Iran

2023

Master of Applied Linguistics (TEFL)

Institute/University: Allameh Tabataba'i University

Tehran, Iran

2016

Bachelor of English Language & Literature

Institute/University: Allameh Tabataba'i University

Tehran, Iran

2014

Language	
English	
Reading	Proficient
Writing	Proficient
Speaking	Proficient
Listening	Proficient
French	
Reading	Intermediate
Writing	Intermediate
Speaking	Intermediate
Listening	Intermediate
Arabic	
Reading	Pre Intermediate
Writing	Elementary
Speaking	Elementary
Listening	Elementary

Work Experience

Faculty Member of the English Language Department

Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

Tehran, Iran

April 2025 - Present

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught general and specialized English courses for health and medical fields
- Conducted workshops to improve teaching methods and assess student learning
- Organized training courses related to English language skills, MHLE exam, and English academic writing
- Participated in curriculum development and educational planning in the English department

Visiting Professor

Sharif University of Technology

Tehran, Iran

January 2020 - January 2025

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught general English courses (Tehran Campus)
- Taught specialized English for Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Civil Engineering, and Physics (Tehran Campus)
- Taught IELTS courses (Kish Campus - Online)
- Taught TOEFL preparation courses (courses at the language center)
- Test developer for the university proficiency test (SEPT)

Visiting Professor

Khajeh Nasir al-Din Tusi University

Tehran, Iran

February 2020 - July 2022

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught general English courses
- Taught writing skills in English (PhD level)

Visiting Professor

Farhangian University

Tehran, Iran

February 2020 - June 2022

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught specialized courses in English language teaching (Materials Development, Cultural Awareness for Language Teachers, Teaching Strategies in Language Education)

Language Instructor

Zangeneh Training Center

Tehran, Iran

May 2021 - November 2021

Tasks and Achievements

- Part-time (teaching GRE, SAT, TOEFL, IELTS courses)

Language Instructor

Iran Language Institute

Tehran, Iran

September 2018 - September 2019

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught on-campus courses (institution branches)
- Taught classes outside the branches (in Roozbeh and Solaha Schools - Tehran)

Instructor and IELTS Exam Organizer

Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Center of In-service Professional Development

Tehran, Iran

August 2018 - January 2019

Tasks and Achievements

- Worked as an IELTS Examiner for Placement Purposes
- Taught IELTS courses
- Assessed employees' English proficiency for career advancement and promotion

Visiting Professor

Allameh Tabatabai University

Tehran, Iran

January 2017 - January 2020

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught General English Courses (Faculty of Law, Communication, Language, and Theology)
- Taught Specialized courses (internship programs, essay writing to English students majoring in English)

Head of Foreign Language Department

Hafezeh Bartar Institute

Tehran, Iran

June 2015 - September 2017

Tasks and Achievements

- Conducted teacher training courses
- Developed and compiled exams
- Observed teachers' classes and conducted in-service training
- Assessed language learners and administered mid-term and final exams (Written and Oral)

Language Instructor

Iran Europe Language Institute

Tehran, Iran

June 2016 - September 2018

Tasks and Achievements

- Worked as an IELTS instructor and taught other general language courses (FCE, Conversation, Free Discussion)

Language Instructor

Hermes Institute

Tehran, Iran

December 2010 - April 2021

Tasks and Achievements

- Taught courses for preschoolers, children, teenagers, and adults (until 2017)
- (Books: First Friends, Family & Friends, Connect, Solutions, FCE Result, CAE Result, CPE Masterclass) (until 2017)
- Taught outside the institute - extracurricular programs in schools (in Roozbeh and Fajr Danesh Schools) (until 2017)
- Had periodic collaborations for educational quality control and contracts with schools (until 2021)

Certificates

Understanding Cognitive Science Techniques and Tools

Institute: Allameh Tabataba'i University

Farvardin 2019

Qualitative Research Methodology

Institute: Allameh Tabatabai University and Khatam University

Dey 2018

Quantitative Research Methodology

Institute: Khatam University

Esfand 2018

Teaching English Language

Institute: Ghazal Javan Publications

Dey 2016

Teaching English Language (Preschool and Children)

Institute: Hermes

Farvardin 2011

Teaching English Language (Teenagers)

Institute: Hermes

Esfand 2011

Teaching English Language (Adults)

Institute: Hermes

Shahrivar 2012

Teaching English Language (IELTS)

Institute: Ghoghnoos

Farvardin 2014

Research, Translation, and Writing

Translation of the Book 'Learning Mechanism' from English to Persian

Publisher: Taylor and Francis

In the process of translation

The role of emotional tensions in English language student teachers' identity construction: an activity theory perspective

Publisher: Taylor & Francis - JET

Exploring Chinese and Iranian EAP students' oral communication apprehension in English: A cross-cultural mixed-methods study

Publisher: Elsevier - System

Teaching Style Preferences in EFL and EAP Teachers: Matches and Mismatches

Publisher: Asian ESP

Iranian In-Service EFL Teachers' Perceptions of Values Education: A Mixed Methods Study

Publisher: ATU Press - ILT

Translation of the Book 'Museums in the Wind' (Persian to English)

Publisher: Allameh Tabatabai University

Supervised by Dr. Masoumeh Estaji

Educational and Exam Preparation Books for Master's and Doctorate in English Language Teaching and Master's in Computer Science and Information Technology

Publisher: Modarresan Sharif

Projects

Workshop on English Academic Writing (Skills Enhancement Course for Faculty Members of Allameh Tabataba'i University)

For: Allameh Tabataba'i University

September 2018

Teaching Assistant

Link: shorturl.at/knrtG

Translator and Editor

For: IUVM Press News Website

July 2014

For 8 months - part-time and remote work

Link: <https://iuvmpress.news/fa/>

Student Position during MA program: (Night Shift Supervisor at Shahid Gol-Ozari Dormitory)

For: Allameh Tabataba'i University

October 2014

For two academic terms

Developing and Compiling Tests

For: Hermes Spinass

February 2014

Designed and edited questions for 24 terms for the books Family & Friends

Honors

Exceptional Talent Category (Master's Degree), Member of the National Elite Foundation